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FM AMEMBASSY JIDDA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3703

INFO AMEMBASSY SAMMAN

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

AMCONSUL DHAHREN

AMEMBASSY SANA

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DEPARTMENT PASS CAIRO

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TAGS: EAID, JO, JA, YE

SUBJ: POSSIBLE JAPANESE AID TO JORDAN AND YEMEN

REF: A. STATE 69810; B. TEHRAN 2451 (NOTAL)

1. DURING DISCUSSION ON RECENT JAPANESE OIL/ AID MISSION
TO KINGDOM, JAPANESE COUNSELOR MOTOMURA WAS QUERIED BY
ECONOMIC COUNSELOR ON POSSIBILITIES INCREASED JAPANESE
TIES AND AID FOR BOTH JORDAN AND YEMEN. HE RESPONDED THAT
HIS EMBASSY HAD RECOMMENDED APPROXIMATELY ONE MILLION DOLLAR
SUBSIDY TO YAR TO MAINTAIN PRICE OF MAJOR EXPORT OF YEMEN
SALT TO JAPAN. NO ANSWER SO FAR FROM TOKYO TO THIS SUG-
GESTION. ALSO NOTED THAT JAPANESE AMBASSADOR TO CAIRO WOULD
BE NAMED AS NON- RESIDENT AMBASSADOR TO PDRY UNDER RECENT
AGREEMENT WITH ADEN GOVERNMENT. NO RPT NO OFFICE TO BE
ESTABLISHED BY JAPAN IN EITHER YAR OR PDRY.

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2. ON POSSIBLE AID TO JORDAN OR ESTABLISHMENT OF RESIDENT
OFFICIAL PRESENCE THERE, MOTOMURA DID NOT SEEM TO BE AWARE
OF RECENT APPROACHES ON SUBJECT BUT MENTIONED THAT JAPANESE
AID WAS ENTANGLED IN COMPLEX SYSTEM AND WITHOUT SAME
PHILOSOPHY AS US ON SUBJECT. HE DOUBTED THAT BUREAUCRATIC
LOG JAM ON AID FOR EITHER JORDAN OR FOR YEMEN WOULD BE
BROKEN IN THE ABSENCE OF REAL ECONOMIC INTERESTS.

THACHER

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED CAIRO.

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